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In re Application of: JIN LI	Group Art Unit: 2644
Serial No.: 09/753,343	Examiner: JEFFERERY F. HAROLD
Filed: DECEMBER 29, 2000	Conf. No.: 2045
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETECTING LINE CARD THRESHOLD	Atty. Dkt.: 2069.009900/TT3841 CUSTOMER NO.: 23720

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed June 4, 2004, finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 9-15, 19-22 and 24-26 objecting to claims 3, 6-8, 16-18, 23 and 27-30.

A Final Office Action was mailed June 4, 2004 for the above-referenced application. The Office Action set forth a 2-month deadline for response of August 4, 2004. A response to the Final Office Action was timely filed on July 30, 2004. However, no Advisory Action was received in response to the response. At least in part because no Advisory Action was received by the undersigned, Applicant unintentionally failed to file a Notice of Appeal by the 6-month

deadline of December 4, 2004 deadline, thereby causing this application to become unintentionally abandoned. A petition to revive this unintentionally abandoned application has been filed with this Notice of Appeal.

The fee for filing this Notice of Appeal is \$500 and is attached hereto. If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed material, or should an overpayment be included herein, the Director is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/2069.009900.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 2/9/05

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**PETITION TO REVIVE AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(B)**

Commissioner for Patents
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Applicant hereby petitions to revive the above-captioned patent application, which was unintentionally abandoned.

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Attempts were made to contact the Examiner on December 17, 2004, but the Applicants calls went unanswered.

For at least the aforementioned reasons, Applicant believes that the entire delay in filing the required reply, from the due date for the reply until the filing of the present petition, was unintentional.

Applicant includes herein the required reply to the Final Office Action, which in the present case is a Notice of Appeal. It is believed that a fee of \$1,500.00 is required to cover cost of filing this petition. The Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/2069.009900. Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an overpayment be included herein, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/2069.009900.

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